

Briefs of the Week

The Retail Dealers' Ass'n at a meeting first of the week, decided to affiliate with the State organization.

The local parcels post handled a unique package one day this week—the package containing a live alligator.

All taxes are now past due and must be paid at the City Treasurer's office on or before the last day of this month.

Business at the postoffice is booming. Thursday night's late train brought twenty-six sacks of mail for the local office.

Horace B. Hipp of this city and O. D. Hammond of Charlevoix have filed petitions for the republican nomination for county road commissioner.

The Herald is in receipt of a pleasant line from Dr. J. A. Macgregor formerly of this city and now located at Dwight, Ill., where he is Superintendent of the Keeley Institute at that place.

At the meeting of our Board of Trade, held first of the week, R. A. Brintnall was elected secretary and Geo. G. Glenn, treasurer. Several matters of importance were gone over by the board.

Joseph Votruba died at the County Farm on Tuesday morning. He was eighty-four years old. He leaves a son and daughter residing near this city. Funeral took place from the church in the Bohemian Settlement.

The many East Jordan friends of Miss Louise E. Loveday will be glad of the opportunity of hearing her in recital again. At the Temple Theatre next Tuesday evening she will give an interpretation of Josephine Peabody's "The Piper," for the benefit of local charity.

Acting upon the appeal of several of his friends, L. A. Hoyt has decided to become a candidate for Mayor of our city at the spring primary. This gives our city two able candidates for the office—A. E. Cross previously announcing himself—and our citizens cannot go wrong on selecting either of them for the office.

That the New Educational and Fine Arts Building of the Charlevoix County Fair Association is meeting with hearty approval was evinced at the County Teachers' Institute held at Charlevoix first of the week. The Thies-Bells School presented a promissory note for ten dollars, to be used in the erection of above building and signed by the officers and teacher of that school.

What promised to be a bad fire was nipped in the bud Friday morning when the roof of the West Side school house ignited from a flying spark. The fire department responded promptly to the alarm and had considerable trouble extinguishing the blaze which had worked under the roof. However the damage is small and school sessions will be resumed in the building next Monday morning.

Andrew Johnson, a man about sixty years of age, was killed by a D. & C. R. B. freight near Alba, Wednesday afternoon. He was walking on the track east of Alba near the gravel pit when one of the log trains approached him. Both the whistle and bell on the locomotive were used to warn him, but he evidently did not hear until the train was nearly upon him when he tried to get out of the way. His skull was fractured and he died at once. The remains were taken to Alba where considerable difficulty was experienced in identifying him. His home was in Grand Rapids.

R. O. Blabre is a Saginaw business visitor this week.

Mrs. W. G. Fortune is convalescing from her recent severe illness.

Miss Flora Simmons is assisting at W. P. Squier's office as stenographer.

Dr. C. H. Pray and family are guests of Mancelona friends over Sunday.

Mrs. Harry Stone of Minneapolis is guest of Mrs. W. A. Stone and family for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Scott are visiting relatives and friends at Crystal, Mich., for a short time.

Miss Emelle Bliss, a cousin of the late Mrs. Madison, is guest at the home of L. C. Madison.

Mrs. J. S. Junget is here from Shelton, Conn., guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Hoyt.

Mrs. A. E. Cross returned home Tuesday from Mt. Pleasant where she has been visiting her daughter.

Mrs. E. Gleason was called to Lapeer by the death of her father last week. She returned home Thursday.

Supt. of Poor A. E. Cross was at Charlevoix Friday, attending the monthly meeting of the Superintendents.

Mrs. E. N. Clink left Thursday for California where she will be guest of her son Archie and family for several months.

District Manager E. J. Holihan of the Michigan State Telephone Co., was an East Jordan business visitor, Thursday.

The Ladies Improvement Club met with Mrs. F. E. Boosinger, Tuesday afternoon. An excellent program was enjoyed.

Mrs. Charles Bedell of Manitowoc, Wis., returned to her home first of the week accompanied by her father Albert Steele.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lavalley, Sr., were called to Traverse City last Saturday by the serious illness of the latter's brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. A. Hudson returned home from Grand Rapids Wednesday evening. Mr. Hudson is much improved in health.

Social Dancing Club held another of their enjoyable parties Thursday night. Horst's Orchestra of Traverse City furnished the music.

Paul R. Schnelle returned home from South Bend, Ind., the past week where he has been on a combined business and pleasure trip.

"We do not ever remember to have seen anything upon the stage in this country or the continent so deserving of preservation as 'The Piper.'" London Academy.

Miss Marie Supernant was home from Provenomont over Sunday. Her father, Wm. Supernant, accompanied her on Monday to Traverse City where he visited friends.

A flying piece of barrel heading struck Roy Bayless in one of his eyes, Friday morning, while employed at the Cooperage plant. The wound necessitated treatment by a physician.

Presbyterian Missionary Society elected the following officers at their meeting Friday afternoon:—President Mrs. Jamison; vice-president, Mrs. F. E. Boosinger; secretary, Mrs. D. H. Fitch; ass't secretary, Mrs. R. Supernant; treasurer, Mrs. Frank Bretz; literature secretary, Mrs. A. D. Grigsby.

On Thursday afternoon a quiet wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Benj. St. John when the latter's sister, Miss Sibyl Elcey, was united in marriage to Thomas Thompson. Rev. T. Porter Bennett, Methodist minister performed the ceremony. The young people will make their residence at East Jordan.

A recent issue of the Christian Science Monitor contains a fine half-tone view of East Jordan, (east side) with the following comment: "EAST JORDAN, MICH.—Beautifully situated at head of south arm of Pine Lake, with streets paralleling shore on natural terraces giving residents views of lake and valleys. In Charlevoix county, western Michigan. Population, 3000. Commission form of government. Shipping facilities over three railroads and deep water. Seventeen manufacturing industries, water works, electric lighting, cement works, paved business streets, two banks. Rich valley produces excellent fruits, vegetables, grass and grain." As the above publication is of international fame and has a circulation equal if not greater than any of the big dailies the article is of considerable value to our city.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Moore a daughter, Feb. 1st.

Archie Mezzies will spend Sunday with relatives at Gaylord.

Jon. Lalonde was a Boyne City business visitor this week.

Mrs. H. Swafford is slowly recovering from her serious illness.

Pros. Att'y Fitch is at Charlevoix on legal business this week.

F. B. Kowalske is able to be about again after his serious illness.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Reynolds a son, Friday, February 7th.

Archie Kowalske is now express and baggage man on the D. & C. R. R.

Henry Richard of Bellaire was an East Jordan business visitor, Tuesday.

Mrs. F. P. Ramsey was a Central Lake business visitor, Wednesday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Richardson a daughter, Friday, February 7th.

Lawrence Lemieux is now employed in the freight office of the D. & C. R. R.

L. M. McLoth of Boyne City was an East Jordan business visitor Wednesday.

Harley Gilman left first of the week for Goldsboro, Md., where he has a position.

Henry Hall of Boyne City was an East Jordan business visitor last of the week.

Mrs. Fannie Knudson of near Ironton was guest of her brother, Robert, this week.

The Pythian Sisters gave a Masquerade party last evening at the Pythian Hall.

Mrs. Mosley of Mt. Pleasant is guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. P. McGulrk for a short time.

Att'y E. N. Clink was a Traverse City business visitor Thursday, and at Charlevoix, Friday.

Miss Marjorie Lemieux is assisting at E. N. Clink's law office during her spare hours from school.

Mrs. A. K. Ostrander, who has been at a Detroit hospital, returned home Friday much improved in health.

Mrs. H. Rosenthal with son left Wednesday for Chicago where she will visit her parents for a month.

Mrs. Harry Sloan was here from Deward this week guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Fortune.

A. Danto left Tuesday for Chicago where he visits friends and makes his spring and summer stock purchases.

Miss Emma Severance who has been visiting friends in Lansing and Detroit, returned home, Thursday.

Misses Mae Stohman and Ethel Brintnall attended the Teachers' Institute at Charlevoix, first of the week.

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Special business and initiation of the Rebecca Lodge next Wednesday evening, Feb. 19. All members please attend. See'y.

Miss Agnes Senecal, who has been guest of her sister Miss Genevieve, and Mrs. Bert Wilhelm, returned home to Calumet Tuesday, going by way of Ste Marie where she visits friends.

Methodist Ladies Aid will hold their next meeting Wednesday, Feb. 19th at the home of Mrs. Wright Carr, on upper Main St. Mrs. Edna Blair will assist. Every member attend. Visitors welcome.

Edward Fortune and wife of Ludington and William Fortune and family of Onaway were called here last Saturday by the serious illness of Mrs. W. G. Fortune. They returned to their homes, Tuesday.

Mrs. E. N. Clink was pleasantly surprised Saturday evening by the Pythian Sisters. All enjoyed the pot-luck lunch and the "make yourself-at home" feeling always enjoyed at the home of the hostess.

Selden P. Delaney, Dean of All Saints' Cathedral, Milwaukee, says of Miss Loveday's work:—"I am glad to testify to the ability of Miss Louise Loveday as a public reader. She gave several readings here two years ago and gave much satisfaction. She is a conscientious worker and deserves success."

The W. C. T. U. will hold its next regular meeting, Friday February 21st at 2:30 P. M. with Mrs. Wm. Howard. Leaders, Mesdames Grigsby and Bennett. Devotionals, led by Rev. T. P. Bennett; roll call, minutes, business, etc. Reading, Selected, Mrs. Joynt; Vocal Solo, Mrs. A. B. Kowalske; Recitation, Grace Howard; Vocal Solo, Oscar Bennett. A ten cent tea will be served by the hostess. Visitors welcome; members are expected to be present.

Bert Reid was an alba business visitor, Thursday.

M. Frazer is a Detroit business visitor this week.

Jon. Lavalley is guest of Detroit friends this week.

Fritz Bauman is guest of Chicago friends this week.

Bert Wilhelm was a Boyne City business visitor this week.

Charles Burch and wife are guest of Bellaire friends this week.

Mrs. Harry McHale and son were Deward visitors over Sunday.

V. G. Holbeck is a Detroit and Lansing business visitor this week.

Mrs. Chris Huggard is confined to her home with the gripe this week.

Mrs. W. M. Spence from Echo was guest of her son, R. N. and wife this week.

Mrs. C. Bulow is among those confined to her home with illness this week.

Mrs. R. N. Spence, who has been on the sick list, is able to be out again.

Mrs. Jesse Allen entertained the Electa Club Thursday afternoon at her home on Eaterly St.

Mesdames Eliza Bowman and Ed. Price were guests at the Martin Ruhling home Wednesday.

Mrs. Roy Webster entertained a number of young friends to a valentine party Friday evening.

Miss Bessie Johnson entertained some of her young friends to a valentine party Friday evening.

Guy Graff returned home, Wednesday, from St. Petersburg, Fla., where he had a plumbing contract.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lalonde entertained about twenty of their friends Monday evening. Cards and refreshments were served.

Mrs. O. Hurlbert leaves for her home at Everett, Wash., next Monday, after an extended visit with relatives and friends here.

Lee Howland's little son, Franklin underwent an operation for appendicitis at Charlevoix, the past week, and is recovering slowly.

Att'y F. E. Boosinger was at Charlevoix, Monday, attending the Democratic Co. Convention. He was elected delegate to the State Convention.

W. A. Strubel is a Saginaw, Lansing and Detroit visitor this week. At the latter place he attends the annual State Hardware Merchants' ass'n.

Mrs. G. A. Bell, assisted by Mrs. Carl Stroebel, entertained the members of the Whist Club, with their husbands, at the home of the former, Wednesday evening.

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